

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 November 17 2014 to 1800 November 17 2014



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

Strong, gusty Santa Ana winds and very low humidity will continue through Tuesday resulting in critical fire weather conditions for much of Southern California.

- A Red Flag Warning is in effect until 1900 hours Tuesday for portions of Kern County.
- A Red Flag Warning is in effect until 1600 hours Tuesday for portions of Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, and Ventura Counties.
- A Freeze Warning is in effect from midnight tonight through 0900 hours Tuesday for portions of Los Angeles County; Antelope Valley.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought
- Tulare County Drought Declaration of local emergency continuance received 11/17/14.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

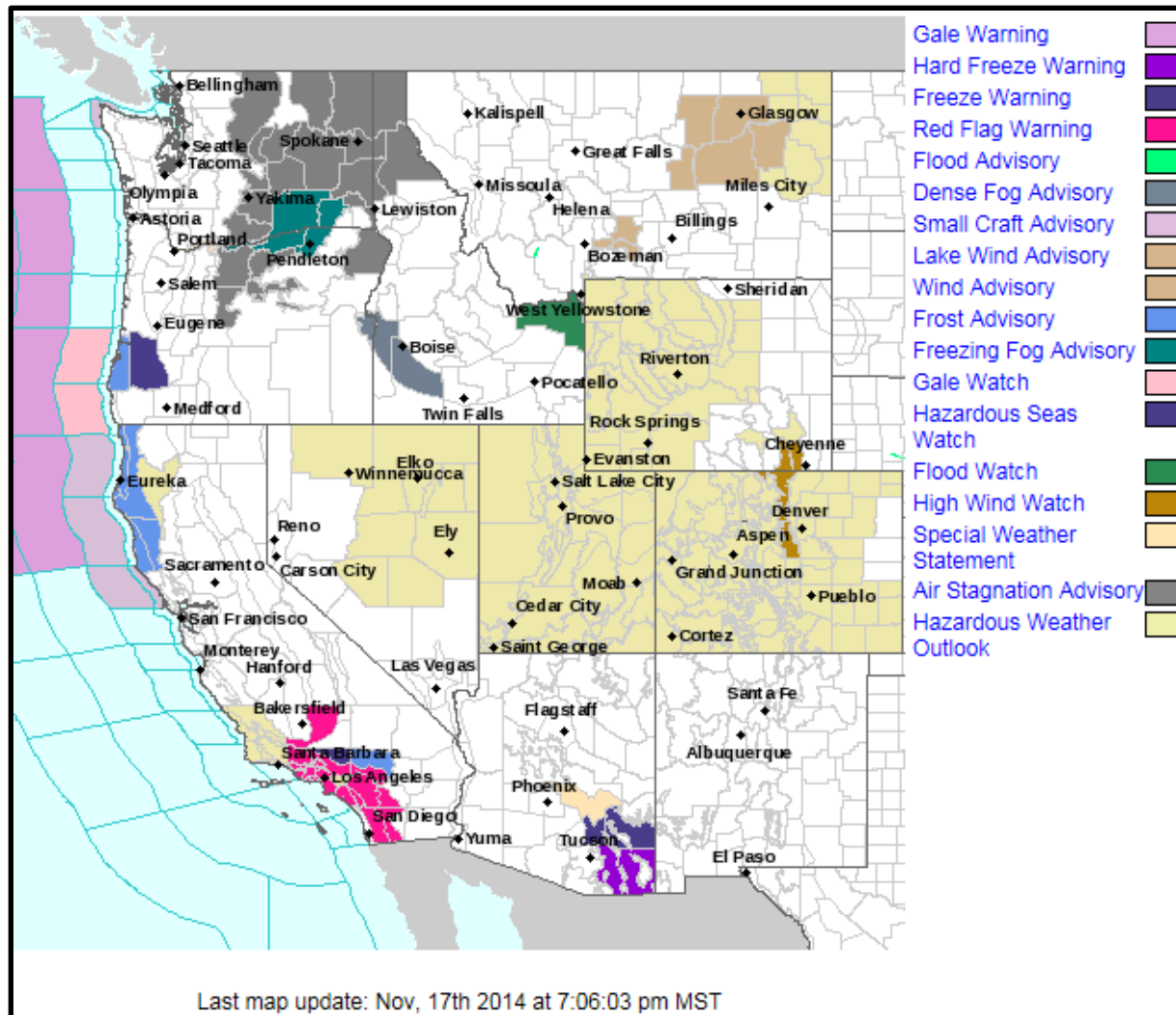
An unsettled weather pattern is in store this week with a series of weather systems passing through Northern Operations. The first storm is expected to move ashore Tuesday night and quickly spread inland Wednesday. Another system arrives Thursday with possibly a stronger system Friday into Saturday. There is some uncertainty with how much precipitation each of these systems will bring to the region, but the first couple systems may be on the dry side away from the coast. However, it currently looks like most areas ought to see wetting precipitation amounts by no later than Saturday afternoon. Drier weather under a high pressure ridge is expected to return by Sunday afternoon and prevail into early next week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Strong surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring northeast to east winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph to the mountains and below the canyons and passes of Southern California through tonight. The surface high pressure will weaken allowing the offshore winds to decrease Tuesday and become light by the afternoon. There will be widespread single digit humidity away from the Central Valley and its surrounding foothills through Tuesday, with poor humidity recovery tonight. Temperatures will be near to around 5 degrees above normal through Tuesday, with 50s to low 60s in the mountains and 70s to low 80s in the valleys. A few weak Pacific troughs will move inland across the West Coast, cooling temperatures to near to a little below normal and causing humidity to become fairly high Wednesday through this weekend. These troughs will also bring scattered light showers at times mainly north of a Monterey/Fresno County line Wednesday through Saturday. Strong westerly afternoon winds will surface across the desert passes Wednesday through this weekend. The marine layer will deepen over Southern California Wednesday, with low clouds and fog expected to make it over the lower coastal mountain slopes by Thursday morning.



STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The filing deadline to return applications for property damage is 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program. The VAL is working with nonprofit organizations on seeking reimbursement.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL continues to work with the Weed LTRG in identifying resources and gaps in services.
- The VAL participated in a meeting with the CA Human Development agency and the Great Northern Services to discuss potential use of drought funding to assist fire survivors with rental and utility payments. Great Northern Services will work with the VAL to identify the need for assistance. If funding is approved, payments will be made directly to the landlord and or utility company. The rental and utility needs of residents affected by the Happy Camp fire will also be captured.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyous.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- The hazardous tree removal and erosion control processes have begun on properties where a Disposition of Tree Agreement (DTA) has been executed. Work is expected to be completed by 12/31/14.
- Debris removal for all participating properties is complete. Several properties tested higher than allowable for metals. Cal Recycle plans to perform additional scraping of these lots.
- On 10/28/14, the City of Weed reestablished water pressure to its downtown area; however, the water storage capacity for fire suppression is still lacking. The City expects water storage to be restored by 12/31/14, or sooner if the weather permits.

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Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

A total of 29,651.21 tons of debris was removed (484.82 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 8,210.82 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 20,955.57 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal).

To date:

- 134 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 11 Sites denied entry.
- 134 Sites documented.
- 134 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 65 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 65 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 134 Debris removal completed.
- 134 Sites sampled.
- 126 Sample results approved.
- 85 Sites with erosion control completed.
- 85 Sites approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Recovery staff is assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- Low-interest federal disaster loans are now available to California residents and business owners as a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration. The declaration covers Napa and Solano counties as a result of the South Napa Earthquake and aftershocks that occurred August 24 – September 7, 2014.

Recovery Activities

- The deadline for Cal OES to submit the Request for Public Assistance of potential applicants to be considered for reimbursement for this event ended, 10/24/14. Sixty-one (61) RPAs have been received and nine (9) have withdrawn for a total of fifty-two (52) RPAs submitted to FEMA. Thirty-four (34) Kickoff Meetings have been completed and two (2) kick-off meetings have been scheduled for this week and next week. There are ten (10) kickoff meetings yet to be scheduled for PNPs that have now been approved. It is currently scheduled that all kickoff meetings will be complete by 11/21/2014.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) will provide case management training to local organizations. A representative from the Solano Community Action Partnership will contact individuals who visited the Solano Information Center to notify them of the opening of the Disaster Recovery Center (DRC).
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). On October 29, 2014, FEMA and SBA provided representatives in the Napa LAC. On October 30, 2014, the Disaster Recovery Center in the City of Vallejo opened. The LAC and DRC are open until further notice. The operational hours for both centers are Monday – Friday 9 AM to 6 PM; Saturdays 9 AM to 4 PM; Sundays closed; In addition, both centers will be closed on November 27, 2014, and November 28, 2014, in observation of Thanksgiving.
- The California Small Business Development Centers (SBDCs) have partnered with SBA and are providing services at no charge to assist small businesses impacted by the disaster with financial counseling, management and technical assistance, business planning, reconstructing damaged or destroyed business records, rewriting business plans, etc.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC and Inland REOC are activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
El Dorado	10/21/2014	CDAA and Federal relief	
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	11/14/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	10/20/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	11/13/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	10/1/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	11/12/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	11/13/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Plumas	8/19/2014	Relief from water curtailments	11/10/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	10/24/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	8/26/2014
Trinity	8/5/2014	No specific request.	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	11/17/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	9/15/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	10/13/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	11/6/2014
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Napa	8/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
San Bernardino	8/5/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW7478, 11/16/14, 0000 hrs.**, Butte County Sheriff's Department (BCSD) requested resources to locate a missing 65 year old male suffering from dementia and several other health related issues. M/P walked away from his residence in the Megalia area which is a wooded residence area. BCSD is requesting 20 ground searchers, eight (8) search dog teams six (6) area search dogs and two (2) trailing dogs. Trinity, Yuba, Lassen, Plumas and Tehama County Sheriff's Departments are responding with ground searchers. The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal/OES), Law Enforcement Branch (LEB) is coordinating the search dog teams response. Tehama is also responding with it's area search dog team. **Update:** 11/16/14, 1700 hrs., BCSD advised that M/P was located in Porterville alive and well. **Mission Closed**
- **2014-LAW-7303, 11/13/14, 1020 hrs.**, Yolo County Sheriff's Department (YCSD) requested resources to locate the remains of a missing person. This mission was opened on 10/27/14 and placed on hold. YCSD detectives will conduct this search on Saturday, 11/15/14 at 0800 hrs. YCSD requested two cadaver search dog teams. California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal/OES), Law Enforcement Branch (LEB) is coordinating the search dog team response. **Update:** 11/15/14, 1900 hrs., YCSD advise that they have completed the search dog search with one positive indication near the water. YCSD is coordinating with DART to dive on the location on 11/16/14, at 0930 hrs. **Update:** 11/17/14, 0800 hrs., YCSD advised that they completed their search with negative results. **Mission Closed**
- **2014-LAW-6536, 11/14/14, 1200 hrs.**, San Diego County Sheriff's Department (SDSD) requested resources to locate a 75 year old female who suffers from Alzheimer's disease. SDSD requested that this mission number be reopened (original search was initiated on 10/06/14). SDSD requested 20 ground searchers to attempt to locate the missing person. California Civil Air Patrol (CAP) is responding with the requested resources. SDSD and CAP will also use this search as a training tool for CAP. This search will take place on Sunday, November 16, 2014 at 0800 hrs. **Update:** 11/17/14, 0800 hrs., SDSD advised that they completed their search with negative results. **Mission Closed**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.